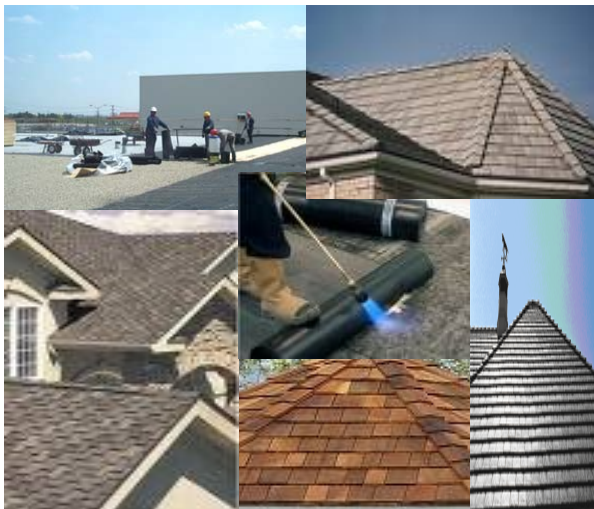


## What do Roofers do?

We install

- Asphalt Shingles
- Metal roofing
- Slate roofing tiles
- Wood shakes
- Concrete Roofing tiles
- Torch on membranes
- Cold Applied membranes
- Tar & Gravel
- Soffits & fascia
- Eavestroughing



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## Choose a Rewarding Career as a Roofer!



## Why should you consider becoming a Roofer?

Our trade works on both residential and commercial job sites. We prepare and apply protective coverings to flat and sloped roof surfaces in accordance with construction plans and specifications.

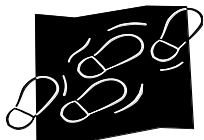
### You might be interested in our trade if you

- ♦ like working outside?
- ♦ like working with your hands?
- ♦ want great earning potential - the more you work the more you make. You can control your hours and your income!
- ♦ want job satisfaction
- ♦ want to be able to start your own business?

### Career Opportunities?

Many roofers are employed by roofing contractors on new construction or repair jobs. As a roofer you can work hands on as an installer or labourer or over time become an estimator, supervisor, a safety officer, or even start your own company. You can also work for the manufacturers or suppliers of roofing products.

Training & education are ongoing in roofing; even experienced roofing workers have opportunities to learn new skills resulting from the constant introduction of new and improved roofing products and high-tech equipment, systems and application techniques



**Step right into the perfect career—great earnings potential, job satisfaction, and career opportunities!**

### Who can work in this trade?

Both men and women are able to work as roofers as long as you are:

- Good physical condition;
- Sure-footed and able to work at heights;
- Able to lift in excess of 25 kilograms;
- Partial to working outdoors; and
- Able to get along well with co-workers

### Earning Potential?

Starting out in this trade you would likely start around \$14.00 per hour and with increased experience and knowledge you could earn up to \$30.00 per hour plus bonuses and perks. The exciting thing about this trade is there is always demand for our services and as such the more you work the more you can make.

## Safety is Important!

Roofers can be at risk of injury from falls and from working with hazardous materials. Our trade has developed safety best practices which when followed minimize the risks. All our workers are required to use fall protection equipment, hard hats, steel toed work shoes, gloves, hearing protection and more.



## Apprenticeship Training

The term of apprenticeship for a roofer is 4 years (four 12 month periods) including

- ♦ a minimum of 1420 hours of on-the-job training and 6 weeks of technical training each of the first three years and
- ♦ a minimum of 1600 hours of on the job training in the fourth year.

### To become a roofer in Alberta you must

- ♦ Have at least Alberta Grade 9 education or equivalent, or pass the entrance exam
- ♦ Find a suitable employer who is willing to hire and train an apprentice
- ♦ Pay a non-refundable application fee
- ♦ Complete the required on-the-job training
- ♦ Complete the required technical training each year

### What will you learn in Apprenticeship Training

- ♦ Safe work practices & regulations
- ♦ Introduction to Roofing
- ♦ Tools & Equipment
- ♦ Roofing Materials & Systems
- ♦ Roof Design & Structures
- ♦ Trade Mathematics
- ♦ Blueprint reading
- ♦ Estimating
- ♦ Roof Maintenance

### What does it cost to take Apprenticeship Training?

Base Tuition is \$552.00 per class. Currently the classes are available in Calgary. There are scholarships, grants and other financial assistance available for students enrolled in the apprenticeship program. You are also eligible for Unemployment Insurance while enrolled in the technical training component of this program.

## Consider the Registered Apprenticeship Program (RAP)

This program lets you can start your roofing career while still in high school and earn high school credits towards your diploma. Talk to your guidance counselor or construction teacher to find out more about this program.

For more information on the Apprenticeship Program look